



# Giants Fall

April 3, 2022

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My past gives me **CONFIDENCE** in **GOD**.

HEART OF DAVID: SACRIFICE ME TO SAVE OTHERS / OPPOSE THE ENEMIES OF GOD / BECAUSE OF GOD

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38-40

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STILL A NEED FOR GROWTH

### In the Moment

41-47 • 45, 47

The battle is the **LORD'S**, and that's why **I'M HERE**.

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ME STRONGER THAN... MY WEAPONS STRONGER THAN... MY GOD STRONGER THAN... !!

The battle is the **LORD'S**, so am I on the **RIGHT SIDE**?

AFTER GOD'S OWN HEART, REMEMBER? • WE'LL COME BACK TO THAT • 48-51

The battle is the **LORD'S**, and he'll provide what **I NEED**.

52-58 • FLASHBACK SO THAT WE WOULD ALREADY KNOW DAVID'S HEART WAS RIGHT

## Take it Home

- What are the giants in my circle?
- How has God equipped me for this moment?
- Am I really on God's side?
- What does confidence in God mean right now?

A WORLD OF FIGHTING NOW • WRONG GIANTS, WRONG WEAPONS, NOT GIVING IT TO GOD

HOW DO WE FIGHT GOD'S BATTLES, GOD'S WAY, TRUSTING HIM FOR THE RESULTS?

MT 26:50-54

JESUS' GIANTS AREN'T PEOPLE, BUT SIN AND DEATH • JESUS' WEAPONS AREN'T SWORDS BUT STEPS OF  
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